



State of Washington

DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

Name of Proposal: LAKE LAWRENCE BOAT RAMP REPAIR

Description of Proposal: The Lawrence Lake Access Area is operated and maintained by the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife for public recreation opportunities. Recreational opportunities include but are not limited to the following activities. Fishing; boating; skiing; jet skiing; and canoeing ECT. This project simply stated includes the removal of the old ramp planks with the replacement of new ones. There will be no other improvements to this site with this project.

Specifically, the plan will be to remove the old ramp planks. Bolt together 3-4 concrete planks at a time, place them on two metal sliders and push them into the water leaving steel tables of the last plank exposed, and then bolt together 3-4 more planks and repeat the process. Push the planks into the water with a backhoe.

Proponent/Applicant:

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
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Location of Proposal, including street, if any: South of Rainier.5 mile on hwy 507, left on the Vail cut-off road, approximately 2.2 miles. Proceed east on the Vail cut-off road SE. approximately 4.4 miles, North. O5 miles on Lindsey Road, South on Pleasant Beech Road, 1 mile to the end of the road, Washington, Thurston County; Northwest 1/4 of Section 28, Township 16 North, Range 02 East WM

Lead Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

WDFW has determined that this proposal will likely not have a significant adverse impact on the environment. Therefore, state law¹ does not require an environmental impact statement (EIS). WDFW made this determination of nonsignificance (DNS) after we reviewed the environmental checklist and other information on file with us.

We issued this DNS according to state rules.² We will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date we issued the DNS. Agencies, affected tribes, and members of the public are invited to comment on this proposal or DNS. We must receive your comments within 14 days of the date of this letter. This means we must receive your comments by **September 23, 2009**

You can submit your comments by email to SEPAdesk2@dfw.wa.gov, through the WDFW SEPA website comment link at <http://www.wdfw.wa.gov/hab/sepa/sepa.htm>, fax to (360) 902-2946, or mail to the address below. When you send us your comments, please provide the name

of the proposal in your comment letter.

Responsible Official: Teresa A. Eturaspe

Position/Title: SEPA/NEPA Coordinator, WDFW Regulatory Services Section

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After the comment period closes, applicants may view the updated status of this proposal on the WDFW SEPA website: <http://www.wdfw.wa.gov/hab/sepa/sepa.htm>. Once the status is posted as final, applicants and permittees may take action on the proposal. When a proposal is modified or withdrawn, notice will be given in accordance with state law.¹

If you have questions about this DNS or the details of the proposal, contact Teresa Eturaspe at the address, e-mail, or fax number above; you can also call her at (360) 902-2575.

DATE OF ISSUE: September 9, 2009 **SIGNATURE:**



Footnotes

1. RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c)
2. WAC 197-11-340(2).

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